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In re the Application of: **Hirohiko MURAKAMI et al.**

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Examiner: **Kirsten Jolley**

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For: **METHOD FOR PREPARING POROUS SOG FILMS**

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: June 1, 2004

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 29, 2003 for two months from March 29, 2004 to May 29, 2004.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$420.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

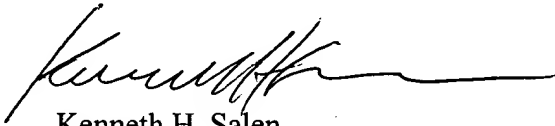
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